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## The CIA Makes Science Fiction Unexciting #2



Chemical biological weapons, CIA documents about  
the AIDS virus, & "cures" killing faster than AIDS!

## Introduction

This is the second in a series about the domestic involvement of groups like the CIA, FBI, and COINTELPRO. It's an attempt to preserve information that would otherwise be forgotten. I want to cover information and facts as they are known and in an objective manner. I'm not trying to create a persuasive argument, rather let you make your own decision about how you feel after really taking in both sides of the argument.

There is still a lot of mystery involved in cases like this as much of the information is classified and departments of the US government are not responsible to make all information public for the purposes of "national security", which seems like an obvious contradiction.

With that said, what we have here is rather frightening. It may change the way that you view the world. It may change the way that you take care of your body or view trips to the hospital. If nothing else, I would recommend that everyone attempt to be as informed as possible in regards to their own health and not just pick up the official line that going to the doctor will make you better when you are sick.

Please check out the suggested reading materials in the back if you are still curious. Many of them are still available with little effort.

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## What is AIDS?

**AIDS (Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome)** is characterized by a gradual breakdown of the immune system, followed by opportunistic infections, general deterioration, and death. Contrary to popular belief, AIDS is not a new

sndrome. It's a name given by the Centers for Disease Control (CDC) to a collection of 29 old, familiar diseases and conditions including yeast infection, herpes, diarrhea, cancer, some uncommon strains of pneumonia, certain cancers, salmonella, and tuberculosis. These illnesses are referred to as AIDS when they appear in a person with protective disease fighting proteins or antibodies that are thought to be associated with HIV. It was somehow spread uniquely in five major cities in the US: New York, San Francisco, Los Angeles, Chicago, and St. Louis. It was "discovered" in the early 80s and promoted as being 100% fatal.

HIV (Human Immunodeficiency Virus) is assumed to be the virus that causes AIDS. AIDS



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## Chemical Biological Weapons & the origins, history, and future of the AIDS virus

There is much incriminating evidence presented within these pages and that is denied publication in forms of more popular media. It is frightening to see the result of the Hepatitis-B vaccine study not released, to see media/wire stories killed, and for key figures to be overtaken by mysterious and conveniently timed deaths; but it is outright horrifying to put all of the evidence into context and look at the scope of the problem. At best, in my opinion, HIV is not the cause of AIDS. At worst we have a huge scale genocide conspiracy. It seems that only with a more complete and total understanding of the disease - its nature and origins, will the problem ever be fully understood or adequately addressed. Funding needs to begin to support a cure for AIDS, not simply drugs that kill people with HIV.

Does it make much sense to entrust the cure for AIDS to the same people that may have created it? All mysterious diseases are labeled as AIDS and prescribed AZT (which in turn kills you faster than any disease). Despite all of this evidence, prevention methods, including condoms and clean needles, are still very necessary for living a healthy lifestyle (and to prevent other diseases). Why are new retroviral diseases, never before seen in modern medicine, appearing so soon after retroviruses were "discovered"? Why did the AIDS "supervirus" appear a decade after it was predicted by the bio-warfare experts; another

coincidence? Why is Kaposi's sarcoma the leading form of cancer in gay men with AIDS? What is the role of mycoplasma and cancer microbes in AIDS and why is this research ignored and suppressed?

"Hiding evil is the trademark of a totalitarian government" - Senator Frank Church, 11/3/75

### Footnote

(1) B-cells make antibodies by "sampling" the outside of whatever foreign invader happens to be in the body and manufacturing antibodies to match, whereas T-cells tend to identify bad guys and make stuff to kill them (like, say, chemicals that rupture viral protein coats). The antibodies made by B-cells don't actually harm the antigen; they just "tag" it for removal by some other form of leukocyte (like, perhaps, a memory B-cell). In the cases where T-cells don't manufacture chemicals to kill invaders, pretty much all they do is activate B-cells when they come into contact with a foreign body in the bloodstream.

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and HIV are not the same thing. That is very important to keep in mind during the following pages.

In January, 1993 the CDC broadened the definition of AIDS to include people with lower than 200 T-Cells (a class of lymphocytes that work for the body's immune system), per unit of blood. This expanded definition caused the number of AIDS cases in America to double.

From watching the news you'd probably gather that AIDS primarily infects society's "undesirables": queers, blacks, prisoners, and injection drug users. It is quite peculiar for an epidemic of this nature to be confined to people of color or specific sexual groups.

## The origins and discovery of HIV and AIDS

French scientists at Pasteur Institute "came up with" the HIV virus as a cause for AIDS in 1984. Robert Gallo, director of America's National Institute of Health received it and developed a blood test to detect it. He delivered these findings to the CIA and UN.

Hilary Koprowski and Robert Gallo discovered green monkeys in Africa had Simian Immunodeficiency Virus (SIV), a virus that shares 40% of its genetic code with HIV, while on a quest to link HIV to AIDS. Gallo had developed an HIV test that would generate millions of dollars for him in royalties if he could successfully link HIV testing to AIDS. They developed the "green monkey theory" stating that somehow the disease had

jumped species from green monkeys to humans in Africa and had mutated in the process. This has never been scientifically proven but was published as fact almost immediately. Gallo announced his theory to the media without first providing substantial data to the scientific community, violating currently accepted standards for establishing the validity of an hypothesis. Generally, when someone proposes a scientific hypothesis, as Gallo did here, they will first write about it extensively in scientific journals and their colleagues will then dispute the claims and poke holes in their theories until it is confirmed or proven not to be true. In this case, the media jumped with the story days later before it was published in any journals and simply touted it as undisputable fact. Even in Gallo's own research it was shown that over 50% of the AIDS patients tested did not test positive for HIV and that most contained antibodies that would provide immunity from infection. Regardless, Gallo was able to make millions of dollars from developing this theory as he then owned the patent on HIV testing, since he had the opportunity to do so first, based on his "discovery".

HIV is not proven to cause anything. A retrovirus (like HIV) has never been known to cause a fatal disease.

AIDS does not behave like other infectious diseases; different risk groups have different symptoms. Diseases are predictable and have specific symptoms while AIDS is 85% male (54% queer male). Diseases and

viruses are generally random between the sexes. AIDS does not spread among healthcare workers like other diseases. And despite what the media has been telling us, unlike all other diseases, AIDS has been in steady decline among risk groups since 1993.

### Chemical Biological Weapons and AIDS Time Line

**1346** - Mongols laid siege to Kaffa, a walled city on the Crimean coast. Diseased cadavers were catapulted into the city to spread what later would become the "Black Death" - a plague killing over 25% of the population of Europe.

**1763** - Allegheny Mountians' European colonists give friendly Natives smallpox infected blankets, killing many.

**1830** - The US Army repeats the above act against the Cherokee Nation, in the infamous "Trail of Tears" massacre.

**1877** - Anthrax first cultured by bacteriologist Robert Koch.

**1914-1918** - WWI: development and use of chemical weapons in warfare, particularly by US troops. More than 1.5 million people injured or killed by chlorine or "Mustard" gas.

**1932** - US Public Health Services tested 400 black men in rural Alabama infected with syphilis and did experiments on its effects when left untreated. The men were never told of their condition or the fact that they were contagious. When penicillin became the standard treatment it was withheld from them. They forbade the men from outside help. A federal health worker blew the whistle and stopped the experiment.

*(Tuskegee Syphilis Study, 1932-1972, Stephen Thomas and Sandra Quinn)*

**1937** - Nazi scientist Dr. Gerhard Schrader discovers "nerve gas."

**1939-1945** - WWII: US military uses anti-crop agents against Germany and Japan causing widespread starvation.

Dr. Joseph Mengele (an early pioneer in genetic engineering) conducts genetic experiments on prisoners at Auschwitz

concentration camp. In Block 10 prison lab, Mengele maims victims for life with experiments on sexual organs, amputations and finds out how long it takes people to die when pieces of their bodies are cut off.

Japanese Unit 731 (under the leadership of General Ishii Shiro) deliberately infects prisoners of war with a vast array of diseases in order to study the effects from an Army Chemical Biological Weapons (CBW) center.

**1958** - An international investigation commission of the Korean War exposes a multitude of germ weapons used by the US against the Democratic People's Republic of (North) Korea. Three North Americans (John W. Powell, Sylvia Powell and Julian Schuman) also publish germ warfare charges in the China Monthly Review

Sedition charges are passed by the Eisenhower Administration but fail to get convictions against the three.

**1960s** - Mind-altering drug tests and aversion therapy, including electroshock used on California prisoners in Vacaville

In an attempt to refute the charges coming from the press in every country but the US, David L. Huxsoll, the chief at U.S Army Medical Research Institute for Infectious Disease (part of Fort Detrick) said specifically that once AIDS surfaced, they screened it as they do any infectious agent. He said they had "definitely looked at it," and "...studies at the Army laboratories have shown that the AIDS virus would be an extremely poor biological warfare agent." These were official statements that seem to incriminate AIDS testing at Fort Detrick rather than absolving them of wrong doing. Huxsoll later denied these statements.

For anyone still doubting that the CIA would be so maniacal as to manufacture something as deadly as the AIDS virus, there is the case of Philip Agee, a former agent with the CIA. After detecting, he published a book in 1975 called "Inside the Company" that explains the depths that the agency has gone to: "Even after recent revelations about the CIA it is still difficult for people to understand what a huge and sinister organization the CIA is. It is the biggest and most powerful secret service that has ever existed. I don't know how big the KGB is inside the Soviet Union, but its international operation is small compared with the CIA's. The CIA has 16,500 employees and an annual budget of \$750,000,000. That does not include its mercenary armies or its commercial subsidiaries. Add them all together, the agency employs or subsidizes hundreds of thousands of people and spends billions every year. Its official budget is secret; it's

concealed in those of other Federal agencies. Nobody tells Congress what the CIA spends. By law, the CIA is not accountable to Congress."

"In the past 25 years, the CIA has been involved in plots to overthrow governments in Iran, the Sudan, Syria, Guatemala, Ecuador, Guyana, Zaire and Ghana. It also made a lot of effort destabilizing governments and putting oppressive regimes and coups in power. In Cuba, The Company paid for and directed the invasion that failed at the Bay of Pigs. Some time later, the CIA was involved in numerous attempts to assassinate Fidel Castro."

In 1996, through declassified documents, court testimony, and personal interviews conducted by Gary Webb, it was discovered that a CIA operation was instrumental in putting cheap cocaine into black communities in the early 1980s. Two fundraisers for the contras, Norwin Mensesel and Danilo Blandon, while enjoying protection from investigation and prosecution, brought the first cheap and large scale cocaine into South-Central Los Angeles.

Make no mistake, the same government who lied about the 1940s syphilis experiments conducted on black men in Alabama, the use of Agent Orange in Vietnam, the CIA selling crack during the war on drugs, the use of uranium depletion weapons in Iraq and the resulting Gulf War Syndrome, would only lead us to believe it's also being dishonest about the origins of AIDS.

Jay Corbenson that turned out by deathly accurate. He was a guest speaker at an international assembly of cancer researchers in Japan and said "You are going to have an epidemic - a worldwide epidemic - a pandemic, of a virus that would cause cancer." He didn't refer to it as AIDS, he called it "a virus that causes cancer" which is exactly what AIDS is. How was he able to make such an accurate prediction just as military funding was paying for the development of such a virus?

In February, 1987, a lawsuit by the foundation for Economic Trends, a Washington, D.C. environmental group, forced the Department of Defense (DoD) to admit the operation of CBW research programs (all 'defensive' of course) at 127 sites around the country, including universities, foundations, and corporations. The DoD had not examined the health effort of these activities as required by law.

The committee made public CIA documents showing that the agency had a vast array of poisons, including many that would cause deadly diseases, and systems for destroying crops. It was in the secret project that two poisons, one a toxin made from shellfish, the other a derivative of cobra venom, were stockpiled by the CIA in violation of President Nixon's directive, William Colby, former director of Central Intelligence, said. They also made public the "Draft Environmental Impact Statement/Biological Defense Research Program" which listed the most dangerous biological weapons

experiments being conducted at Dugway Proving Ground (Utah), Aberdeen Proving Ground (Maryland), and Fort Detrick (Maryland).

Colby said that in May, 1952, the CIA began a joint project with the special operations division of the Army Biological Laboratory at Fort Detrick, MD. During the course of this project, his testimony and documents disclosed the CIA, stockpiled substances that would cause tuberculosis, anthrax, encephalitis (sleeping sickness), valley fever, salmonella food poisoning and small pox.

Colby said that the project had been subject to a high degree of secrecy within the CIA. Only two or three officers at any given time were cleared for access to Ft. Detrick activities, he said.

Jeremy Rifkin was a scientist at Ft. Detrick who left his job on grounds of conscience. He tells the story of a team leader losing an entire quart of Chicomungua virus, sufficient to kill a major portion of humanity. The military has never been able to account for where the virus ended up. They say "well, it can't be missing because we can't find it." Clearly, this is ludicrous for an official government explanation.

The Army admits it has "infectious disease research institutes" in Kenya and Brazil. The latter location is especially interesting, given that Brazil has the second highest number of AIDS cases (after the U.S.) in the Western Hemisphere.

and Atlascadero. Some of these are particularly directed against homosexual inmates, attempting to "convert" them to heterosexuality. It is important to note here that the World Health Organization (WHO) still classifies homosexuality as a mental illness.

1961 - National hero and first democratically elected Prime Minister of Zaire, anti-imperialist, Patrice Lumumba assassinated by CIA trained mercenaries (after subsequent attempts of murder by poison fail), CIA puppet regime led by Joseph Mobutu installed. Note: Zaire has some of the world's richest mineral deposits and along with Uganda later became the epicenter of AIDS in Africa (as well as Ebola).

1961-1973 - In the war against Vietnam, US Chemical Biological Weapons (CBW) reaches it's zenith in the most massive chemical war in history. Seeking to destroy crops, the US aerially sprays 55 million kilograms of defoliants

(primarily Agent Orange) on the challenges" (NY Times 10/19/71)

1971 - CIA infects Cuban pigs with African Swine Fever, 500,000 pigs are slaughtered. (Newsday 10/19/71)

1972 - Richard Nixon and Henry Kissinger coordinate efforts to turn Fort Detrick, a top biological warfare center, over to allegedly civilian National Cancer Institute (NCI) for cancer research. The NCI then turns the facility over to a civilian contractor Litton Bionetics, a major US defense contractor with strong links to Intelligence.

1972 - The World Health Organization publishes the following proposal: "An attempt should be made to ascertain whether viruses can in fact exert selective effects on immune function, e.g., by... affecting T-cell function as opposed to B-cell function(1). The possibility should also be looked into that the immune response to the virus itself may be impaired if the infecting virus damages more or less selectively the cells responding to the viral antigen." -Bulletin of the WHO, vol. 47, pg. 257-274

1966-1977 - 100 million blacks injected with "smallpox vaccine" in Central Africa by the World Health Organization. 1968 - Porton Down and Fort Detrick collaborate in the successful transfer of genes between different strains of plague bacillus. The research was done "for purely defensive purposes."



(This is a clinical description of the function of the AIDS virus.)

1972 - Tuskegee Experiment exposed; nationwide condemnation forces the government to end project.

Again, it is interesting to note that the federal office supervising the study was the predecessor of today's Centers for Disease Control (CDC) unit

in charge of the government AIDS program. The CDC, a journalist wrote in 1972, "Sees the poor, the black, the illiterate American society as a vast

known disease causing organisms. Most important of these is that it might be refractory (resistant to the immunological and therapeutic processes upon which we depend to maintain our relative freedom from infectious disease.)"

The US Department of Defense Appropriations 1969-1970 library call #Y4.AP6/1:D36/5/970/ PART 6 HB 15090 called for and allocated funds for the creation of a killer virus with the clinical description of

27 AIDS. This coincides with a 1975 prediction by

physical symptoms of AIDS. This is termed 'AIDS-phobia' and is characterized by weight loss, wasting, reduced T cell counts, and other signs considered indicative of AIDS. It typically follows intimate contact with people who are believed to be or may be HIV positive.

#### How was the US Government and CIA Involved?

The Soviet news agency TASS has repeatedly charged that the U.S. military created AIDS in laboratory experiments for the development of biological warfare. The story, reported by Dan Rather on the March 30, 1987 edition of CBS Evening News, was denied by the United States government, as it has been repeatedly since such allegations first appeared in 1986. Since that time, the Soviets have charged that biological warfare research was carried out at Ft. Detrick, Maryland, in violation of the tenets of the Geneva Convention.

The Patriot Newspaper claimed that Fort Detrick scientists, with the help of the Centers for Disease Control, and under Pentagon contract, traveled to Zaire and Nigeria, and then to Latin America, to collect information on "a powerful virus that could not be found in Europe or Asia." According to a later summary of the Patriot article in a Soviet journal, this information was then "analyzed at Ft. Detrick, and the result was the isolation of a new virus that causes AIDS.... Certain experiments were probably done in Haiti (U.S. satellite country) and in certain groups of

the American population, beginning with homosexuals, drug users, homeless, etc." Now these just sound like intensely sensationalist claims until you throw some facts into the mix. Between 1972 and 1977 Jakob and Lilli Segal, two East German scientists, spliced the Visna virus (believed to be the mother of the AIDS virus), a sheep retrovirus, with HTLV-1, the first retrovirus known to affect humans (as explained by Robert Sirecker) : It was created at the CBW labs in Fort Detrick, Maryland.

The base at Ft. Detrick was called the "Army Biological Warfare Laboratory" until Nixon's 1969 order banning CBW production. Fort Detrick was then the leading center for development of testing of biological weapons. Shortly after the CBW "ban," part of the grounds were, with great fanfare, renamed the 'Frederick Cancer Research Facility' and turned over to the National Cancer Institute for civilian use. The military section was later renamed the 'U.S. Army Medical Research Institute for Infectious Disease' (USAMUD), supposedly restricted to 'defensive' research. But underneath the slick name changes, it is clear that some level of CBW research continued. According to one scientist's account, "Within two years of its foundation, the Institute's staff and budget had tripled."

In 1969, a military official testified before Congress: "Within the next 5 or 10 years, it would probably be possible to make a new infective micro-organism which could differ in certain important respects from any

experimental resource for the government." 1973 - "Biohazards in Biological Research" conference is held in Northern California; focus is to discuss the dangers of cancer virus research and what would happen if genetically engineered viruses escape from labs. 1978, Nov. - Gov't sponsored NYC Hepatitis B vaccine study begins on gay men at the NYC Blood Bank in Manhattan.

November - Dan White assassinates Harvey Milk. Would Milk, the most prominent gay activist of the century, known for his frank, outspoken nature and his ability as a tremendous leader and orator have questioned the official gov't line on AIDS? Is the timing mere coincidence? (see Mae Brussell's research for White's CIA/mind control connections).

November - Jonestown Massacre; 900 mostly black North Americans 'suicided' (see *John Judge's in depth article, "The Black Hole of Guyana" in "Secret and Suppressed" for obvious CIA / CBW connections. Also wait for CIA Makes Science Fiction Unexciting #3.*) 1979 - First AIDS case is recognized in Manhattan 3 months after the NYC Hepatitis-B vaccine trials begin. No one knew that it was AIDS yet as it had not been identified. 1980 - Los Angeles and San Francisco Hepatitis-B vaccine trials begin. 1980 - First West coast AIDS cases are recognized months later. 1981 - Thousands of Haitians escaping the brutal repression of US backed Duvalier regime arrive on boats seeking refuge. Many refugees are detained in detention centers for up to two years. Within months of incarceration at two of the centers (Krome in Miami and Fort Allen in Puerto Rico) many male refugees report a condition called Gynecomasia, in which they develop full female breasts. 1981 - AIDS epidemic becomes "official", initially called GRID

(Gay Related Immune Deficiency) 1981 - An epidemic of Dengue Hemorrhagic Fever, a painful mosquito-borne disease involving intense pain, flu symptoms, internal bleeding and shock strikes 300,000 Cubans claiming 158 lives, 101 which were children. A Covert Action Information Bulletin investigation produced strong evidence that the CIA released Dengue infected mosquitoes on the island (see "Omega 7 and Dengue Fever", CAIB #22, 1984). 1982 - Dr. Wolf Szmuness, overseer of the Hepatitis B vaccine trials (NYC Blood Center) "conveniently" dies of cancer and thus is unavailable to rebuke charges of foul play in connection with the numerous deaths of participants involved. 1982 - Following US - directed aerial bombings, Hemorrhagic Conjunctivitis mysteriously arrives in parts of El Salvador. 1983 - The New York Native, a Gay/Lesbian weekly newspaper, publishes an anonymous letter to the editor from someone claiming

to be a former employee of the US Army Bio-warfare Laboratory at Fort Detrick, MD. His letter cites that the laboratory had launched "Operation Firm Hand" in 1978 to infect homosexual men with the virus.

**1984** - The allegedly civilian NCI "discovers" the AIDS Virus: claim of discovery, however, disputed by France. Behind closed doors, Reagan Administration officials and French government work out a compromise.

**July 4, 1984** - The first detailed charges of AIDS as BW are published in The Patriot newspaper, New Delhi, India.

**October, 1984** - Soviet press picks up the story of AIDS as BW by the US military, making it easy for US Defense Department spokespersons to dismiss the charges as "Soviet propaganda", even though the story was also carried in approximately 60 other countries in over 30 different languages.

**1984** - New York Native conducts "unscientific" poll of

150 homosexual men asking whether "AIDS is actually a disease created by an arm of the federal government for political reasons." 37% agree, 45% disagree, 16% don't know (Barry Adkins, "Time For Another Stonewall?", Nov 4-10, 1985)

**1986** - Robert Strecker MD publishes "Bio-Attack Alert," a 27 page report detailing his extensive research into the man-made origins of AIDS. (**Midyear**) - Two East-German scientists, Dr. Jakob and Lilli Segal, publish a 52 page report ("AIDS-Its Nature and Origin") arguing that HIV was genetically engineered in a US CBW lab.

**Oct 10th** - Two "US Embassy officials" visit the Segal's home. Although the officials claim credentials as a historian and political counsel, respectively, Dr. Segal states, "I am positive they were from the CIA and that they were deeply concerned that the cover-up over the origin of AIDS was going to be exposed." The officials questioned Segal about "What he knows, what he

thinks, where he got his

information from, and what he intends on doing with the report" Later the State Department acknowledged sending officials, "merely to point out the fallacies of the report"

**Oct 26th** - "AIDS 'Made in Lab' Shock," cover story, London "Sunday Express," **1987, March 14** - M. Brussell, J. Judge & D. Emory broadcast AIDS/BW theories; "The Secrets Out" KPFA, Berkeley **May 11th, 1987** - "Smallpox Vaccine 'Triggered AIDS Virus' front page "London Times" account, May 11, 1987. Article exposes WHO smallpox vaccine / AIDS in Africa connection.

**1987** - AIDS pressure group ACT-UP forms, spearheaded by activist Larry Kramer, NYC. **1988** - Alan Cantwell Jr. MD. publishes the book AIDS and the Doctors of Death. Despite excellent reviews, the book is virtually ignored by the establishment press.

**1988** - Suspicious and untimely deaths of three top proponents of the AIDS as BW theory, Ted Strecker, Illinois State Rep. Douglas Huff (Chicago) and

Statement/Biological Defense Research Program" was made available to Examiner reporter Vicki Haddock as a result of a lawsuit filed by Jeremy Rifkin, an opponent of the Pentagon's bio-warfare studies. The statement says the most dangerous biological weapons experiments are being conducted at 3 US Army bases: Dugway Proving Ground, Utah; Aberdeen Proving Ground, Maryland; and Fort Detrick, Maryland.

Dr. Robert Strecker explained how this would be done in a laboratory in a speech: "So, what kind of name would you give it if it's a hybrid of bovine and visna? Well, we called it bovine-visna and we called it visna-bovine. We went to the library and we set out on a Medline search: "Give me every paper ever written from 1900 on bovine-visna virus and visna-bovine virus." This is exactly what you can do if you want to spend the \$35-and bam! off they came: Papers from the early 1970s on a virus named bovine-visna - It has the exact same shape as the AIDS virus, it has the exact same morphology, it has the exact same magnesium dependency, the ability to produce in tissue culture, the selective ability to kill T-cells in tissue culture. And when they fed that virus from cows naturally infected with it to chimpanzees, those chimpanzees died of pneumocystis carinii pneumonia. That's AIDS."

"The Maedi-Visna virus is a slow infections virus causing wasting of the body, progressive destruction of the brain and lungs, and loss of weight. The Bovine Leukemia virus would cause immune deficiency and the

formation of solid white cells in the brain." "Visna is a sheep virus which is believed to be the mother of the AIDS virus - you find visna was causing 3 types of lesions in mice in the late 1970s. We wrote many years ago, in 1985, 1986, that AIDS was clearly related to cancer and it was a cancer-causing agent."

"If you go to the medical library and put in AIDS, where does all the literature start? It starts around '82, '83. Because before '81 the virus wasn't even "discovered". You've got to go to the veterinarian literature. The veterinarians have been laughing at the doctors for years now...If you want to know about AIDS, talk to your vet - they work with cattle and sheep."

Physical risk factors for acquired immune deficiency and the resulting illnesses associated with AIDS include malnutrition and chronic lack of sleep. Medical literature notes that malnutrition and infection are invariably related and one condition worsens the other. This would explain a risk factor for habitual and prolonged users of certain drugs like methamphetamines, heroin, and crack cocaine as they often suffer from chronic lack of sleep and malnutrition.

Psychological risk factors include chronic anxiety, panic, stress, and depression. They have been shown to compromise health, damage the immune system, and result in symptoms similar to AIDS. Also, a profound fear of AIDS is enough to cause even people who repeatedly test HIV negative to develop

University, is said to be compiling a 55-page report expounding his conviction that HIV is man-made and that there has been "a cover up of the blunders which unleashed a medical catastrophe on the world." According to the Sunday Express, two U.S. Embassy officials questioned Segal at his home for two hours about his information. Segal maintains that, although the two had credentials as an historian and a political counsel, he is "positive they were from the CIA - and that they were deeply concerned that the cover up of the origin of AIDS was going to be exposed."

Seale told the Sunday Express that, although Segal is from East Berlin, "he holds no particular political beliefs or views at all."

Regarding the theory that the origin of AIDS stems from infected African green monkeys, Segal said, "Its ludicrous and scientifically incredible - and has been promoted, I believe, by the United States government as part of the cover up."

Dr. John Seale, a Fellow of the Royal Society of Medicine and former consultant in venerology at the Middlesex and St. Thoms's Hospitals in London, said he did not necessarily agree with Segal that the virus was created in a military establishment, believing instead that "it is more likely to have been an ordinary laboratory where cancer research is being carried out." He is no less emphatic than Segal in his "firm conviction...that a scientist...probably in the United States and doing cancer research with the two viruses, accidentally spliced

elements of both together - and created AIDS." Strecker, who has been studying AIDS since the first cases were reported, says, "There is no known animal virus with all the symptoms of AIDS; it must have been genetically engineered, from different viruses. The two viruses which were used, according to all my research and studies, are Maedi-Visna and Bovine Leukemia.

"It almost certainly happened in a research laboratory in the United States."

Segal also believes "that scientists here [at Ft. Detrick] created the AIDS virus by combining parts of the Maedi-Visna virus and "another leukemia virus, HTLV-1," first named by Dr. Robert Gallo of the National Cancer Institute (NCI). "Almost certainly the scientists were unaware of their terrible creation - the AIDS virus."

"In the mid-1970s experiments were carried out at Ft. Detrick, when the US Army Medical Research Command had its headquarters on volunteer long-term prisoners who were promised freedom after the test. We all know that it takes years from the time of infection to the time of serious illness and death from AIDS. After the prisoners were injected with the newly made virus, there would have been no immediate signs of illness, and they would have been released as promised into the world." Segal's account coincides with the first known case of AIDS in 1978.

The 1988 Defense Department "draft environmental impact

political activist, anti-fascist researcher and radio broadcaster Mae Brussell.

1988 - Robert Strecker MD, produces the *The Strecker Memorandum*, a video about the man-made origins of AIDS.

1989 - Debut of German film *Monkey Business*, *The Myth of an African Origin of AIDS* - Dr. Cantwell's AIDS and the Doctors of Death banned at the Fifth International AIDS Conference by WHO officials.

1989 - 1,500 Los Angeles children were tested with Edmonstron-Zagreb, an unlicensed measles vaccine. They were mostly black and Latino. It was also tested in a dozen third world countries. Trials were stopped when questions were raised about an increased death rate in female infants.

1990 - Sept 16th; AIDS War Conference, New College, S.F. (Sponsored by the Network Against War and Fascism).

Oct 30th - "29% of Blacks in Poll See AIDS as a Racist Plot..." headline, San Francisco Chronicle.

- Mixed Blood, a play (written by Aubrey Hampton) about the creation of AIDS, debuts at Loft Theatre, Tampa.

1993 - Mainstream queer magazine *The Advocate* mocks "AIDS as BW" theory in its "Dossier" column yet refuses to print letters of dissent and protest.

December 1st - Emergency Times Network sponsors forum on World AIDS Day, St. Petersburg, FL. Featured speaker, Dr. Dana Dennard, professor at Florida A&M University speaks on "AIDS as Covert Genocide."

1995 - Rep. Eric Taylor (Philly, PA) spearheads petition drive for a federal court hearing on evidence of AIDS as BW.

1996 - Dr. Leonard Horowitz publishes *Emerging Viruses AIDS and Ebola - Nature, Accident, or Genocide?*

## The history of chemical biological weapons in the US

Before the Auschwitz death camp became a household name, American, British, and European agencies called openly for the elimination of certain select populations by use of force and violence. One example is the "Third International Congress on Eugenics" held at NYC's American Museum of Natural History on August 21-23, 1932. The conference was supervised by the International Federation of Eugenics Societies and the press and politically active groups hardly even noticed that it was happening. More recent examples are abundant. In 1969 George Bush (future CIA director) was a House representative in Texas. He held press hearings on the "threat" posed by black babies in an apparent attempt to steer US public opinion about the so-called "population bomb" in non-white areas of the world. - particularly Africa. He stated that unless the menace of human population growth was "recognized and made manageable, starvation, pestilence, and war will solve it for us." Bush often compared population growth to a disease and later brought two "race scientist" professors in front of a Republican task force to "objectively"

discuss the subject.

In 1969, a treaty prohibiting biological weapons was agreed upon and passed. It contained a clause permitting defensive research and in 1972, the U.S. signed a similar international treaty. It was not until Senate ratification in 1975 that the treaty took legal force in the U.S. The Pentagon claims that these new policies meant the end of all but "defensive" biological warfare research. But this distinction is meaningless, as numerous CBW experts (including some of the Army's own) have attested.

In 1973, the new field of genetic engineering, combining molecules of different micro-organisms to create new viruses and bacteria, was opened by advances in scientific research. The U.S. military applied this new technology to its CBW research. Many scientists warned of the extremely dangerous implications of such a development. Shortly afterwards, in 1976, "The Global 2000 Report" called for elimination of 1/3 of the world's population by the year 2000.

### Is HIV even related to AIDS?

HIV is a retrovirus that shares the same genetic structure as all other known retroviruses. Scientists know that retroviruses do not kill cells and that hundreds of retroviruses are normally found in healthy human beings. We also know that even if HIV could kill T cells, it only infects about .1% of cells (1 out of 1000) which would not be a sufficient number to deplete T cells or cause

AIDS. Most healthy people have had infections with cell-killing viruses such as those causing herpes and mononucleosis. These viruses don't deplete T cells or cause AIDS even though they infect up to half of all immune cells. With these things in mind it seems very difficult to believe that HIV would somehow cause AIDS. This assumption is

highly built on the work of Robert Gallo who was never openly disputed or even had his work questioned. He is now being investigated for fraud in other scientific research. Why is all of what we "know" about AIDS trusted in this man's research?

### Smallpox vaccines and AIDS in Africa and Brazil

On May 11, 1987, a headline appeared on the cover of the London Times, one of the world's most respected newspapers, proclaiming "Smallpox Vaccine Triggered AIDS Virus". It was written by science editor Pierce Wright and suggested that the smallpox eradication program sponsored by the World Health Organization (WHO) was responsible for unleashing AIDS in Africa. On June 5, Jon Rappoport, an investigative reporter, examined the article in a short piece he wrote for the LA Weekly. Rappoport was mystified as to why no mention of the smallpox story had appeared in the US media and decided to contact spokespersons for the largest newswires in the US. All of the agencies said that they had 10 heard nothing of the story out of London.

findings. Dr. Strecker spoke with him the night before his death. Ted was cheerful, in good spirits, and looking forward to certain new developments that promised progress. The next day he was found dead, his 22-caliber rifle next to him. No note, no message, no good-byes to anyone, very untypical of him but officially a suicide. Next, Illinois State

Representative Douglas Huff of Chicago was found alone in his home, dead from an apparent overdose of cocaine and heroin, on September 22, 1988. Representative Huff did everything in his power to make the Illinois State Legislature and the people of Chicago aware of Dr. Strecker's work. He was very vocal, gave many press interviews, was constantly on television and radio urging people to wake up to the cover-up concerning AIDS. He used drugs occasionally and recreationally but certainly was not an addict. He would also have known how dangerous a massive overdose of cocaine and heroin was. Cause of death: officially a stroke. Dr. Strecker has serious doubts that his brother killed himself. Representative Huff's associates doubt he died accidentally, and yet they are gone. Who's next?

In a related development, Minnesota's gay newsweekly GLC Voice has received an anonymous letter from "a friend of the family," a self-admitted researcher at the Pentagon's Biological Weapons Research Department. GLC Voice, which was quick to point out that the letter offers no facts to assist an investigative reporter to verify its

allegations, printed the letter nonetheless. In it the author states he was involved with "technically illegal and supposedly nonexistent" research ten years ago, developing "biological agents that kill quickly and efficiently, and others designed to produce a very low, debilitating death. The virus that causes AIDS is of the latter variety."

### If not green monkeys & HIV, where does it come from?

A widely publicized theory that human AIDS viruses originated from related viruses harbored by African green monkeys has been refuted by new data showing distinct differences in the molecular structure of the human and monkey viruses. University of Tokyo researchers reported. (Los Angeles Times, June 2, 1988) "Although interspecies transmission may have occurred in ancient times" the report, written by Masashi Fukasawa, stated, "there appears to have been no transmission for a long time."

Dr. Robert Strecker of California says, "It must have been genetically engineered." Dr. John Seale, described by the Sunday Express as a "distinguished London based specialist," said, "I am now totally convinced that the AIDS virus [sic] is man-made."

In West Germany, Professor Jakob Segal pinpointed Ft. Detrick as the most likely place to conduct the engineering necessary to create a synthesized virus. Segal, retired director of the Institute of Biology at Berlin



questioning the origin or treatment of AIDS.

Ted Strecker, Robert Strecker's brother, on the verge of disseminating powerful information about the man-made nature of the AIDS virus, was found shot to death alone 22

Noted AIDS researcher Robert Strecker MD, was aware of the story the day that it ran in Europe and also spoke to representatives at AP and UPI (two major newswires) about why the story wasn't carried in the U.S. According to Strecker, their answer was that "they were not able to understand the significance of the article".

Between 1966 and 1977 the World Health Organization carried out a large scale vaccination for Smallpox across Africa and Brazil shortly before the first appearance of AIDS there. This becomes quite alarming when the WHO's own information indicates that the AIDS table of Central Africa matches the concentration of smallpox vaccinations, i.e., the greatest spread of HIV infection coincides with the most intense immunization programs. Thus, Zaire, at the top of the AIDS list, had 36 million people immunized with the smallpox vaccine. Next is Zambia, with 19 million, followed by Tanzania with 15 million, Uganda with 11 million, Malawi with 8 million, Rwanda with 3.3 million, and Burundi with 3.2 million. Brazil, the only South American country covered by the smallpox eradication campaign has the highest incidence of AIDS in that part of the world.

Here's what the unnamed WHO advisor who disclosed this information to the Times had to say: "I thought it was just a coincidence until we studied the latest findings about the reactions which can be caused by vaccinia. Now I believe the smallpox vaccine theory is the explanation to the explosion of 11

AIDS." This theory also provides an explanation of how AIDS infection is spread more evenly between males and females in Africa than in the West. Further evidence of the link between AIDS and the small-pox vaccine comes from the Walter Reed Army Medical Center in Washington, D.C., where routine smallpox vaccination of a 19-year-old army recruit was the trigger for the stimulation of dormant HIV virus into full-blown AIDS.

Government scientists have been quick to point the finger at peoples' lifestyles - "You don't have the right sexual partners", "You don't wear enough condoms," etc. Look how quick government doctors are to blame drug addicts for spreading AIDS by sharing needles. But have they told you that, in the WHO's own smallpox vaccination campaign, needles were re-used 40 to 60 times? The main method of "sterilization" was waving the needle across a flame. Doctors are quick to play the game of 'blame the victim,' but what if it turns out that doctors themselves are responsible for the victims' plight?

No Follow-up data is available from the smallpox eradication campaign because no systematic studies of the complications produced the mass immunization have been done (!). Dr. Laurence Godis said "Previous circumstantial evidence looks more persuasive alongside the latest research that shows AIDS can be stimulated by smallpox vaccination." This causes further alarm because it is highly irresponsible and would only serve to give further support to the speculation that the

WHO may have planned this as an intentional result of the Smallpox eradication program.

The definition of AIDS in Africa differs decisively from the one used in the US and Europe. The only defining characteristics are diarrhea, fever, persistent cough, and weight loss greater than 10% over 2 months. The other problem is that these symptoms that define AIDS in Africa have infected people much longer than the AIDS virus has "existed" as a result of malnutrition, poor drinking water, and a lack of access to basic antibiotics. It is hard to distinguish what is AIDS or "slim" (slang for AIDS) and what is a result of poor health, or if any of these cases are AIDS at all. Dr. Chilumbe Chimtu explains the problem this creates as "Africans with treatable medical conditions, such as tuberculosis, who perceive themselves as having HIV infection fail to seek medical attention because they think they have an untreatable disease."

In Uganda most people can't afford the fees for medication or health care. Malnutrition, filthy water, and diseases left untreated are commonplace yet the World Health Organization addresses the problem by coming in with "AIDS educational programs" that demonstrate proper condom use. The problems at heart are not being addressed or even understood.

The fact that people are dying of degenerative diseases at an alarming rate in Central Africa is not in question. The question is how many of these deaths today are really AIDS. Despite the loose definition,

AIDS now only infects 0.05% of the population of Africa, infections of TB, malaria, and measles far outnumber AIDS.

One of the diseases that most resembles AIDS in Africa is pulmonary tuberculosis which shares virtually all of the same symptoms even without HIV present. It is most common in 15-44 year olds and has about 3 million deaths each year attributed to it worldwide. It seems odd that AIDS in Africa is portrayed as a new disease because it is killing young people. How much of what is really TB in Africa is called AIDS?

In villages where visits to a hospital are nonexistent all death is considered "slim" or AIDS. If someone dies from malaria or herpes it is still attributed to AIDS. Even accidental deaths are sometimes attributed to AIDS. Often times parasitic infections, tuberculosis, cholera, and many other diseases are indistinguishable from what is called AIDS without medical care and hospital visits. Most of the time people that die of AIDS in Africa get sick in a matter of months and die which is not at all consistent with our definition of AIDS in the west.

On a trip to Africa, a reporter from Spin Magazine observed that everywhere that "AIDS" existed in Africa there was also money: a brand new clinic with a new Mercedes parked outside, modern testing facilities, high paying jobs, and international conferences. A leading African practicing physician warned that the reporters would never get the truth from the doctors as half of

investigated by the media or independent AIDS research groups. A CDC virologist, Dr. Walter Dowdle, admitted "As long as this was seen as a gay disease, or even worse, a disease of drug abusers, this pushed the disease way down the ladder [of funding priorities]." Despite spending over \$50 billion in federal funding we still have no significant developments in understanding HIV or AIDS.

In addition, widespread acceptance of these concepts and assumptions make challenges to current views on HIV and AIDS easily marginalized, highly controversial, and often simply too dangerous to report; the kind of material that people lose their jobs over, a common theme in this zine series.

The CDC made an early decision to inflate AIDS estimates and magnify the risks involved. This launched a very effective advertising campaign causing, in a matter of two years, a full scale epidemic to seem likely. By 1991, many people believed that married couples were at risk of contracting AIDS when in reality AIDS rarely infected anyone beyond IV drug users and queer men. Federal tax dollars allocated to AIDS doubled the first year of the ad campaign and by the early 90s they were topping over a billion dollars a year in advertising.

There are about 90,000 AIDS organizations in the US; that works out to be about one organization for every 6 people diagnosed with AIDS. The problem is that very few of these organizations evaluate the news items they pass along to their education

and awareness programs. Most of them simply repeat uncriticized press releases that come from government agencies, the pharmaceutical industry, and government funded laboratories. Most of them will not even participate in public discussion of other points of view.

In a letter written to the Academy, Martin Delaney denounces scientists who question the basic assumptions about AIDS and make it available to "young and poorly informed people struggling with HIV infection [whose] natural inclination toward denial gives them a seemingly legitimate way to ignore a positive HIV antibody test, to cast aside... safe sex, and to forgo the complex challenge of multi-drug combination therapy." He implies that since AIDS is a matter of public health it should not be examined in public forums on the same logic that "just as the blanket of free speech doesn't sanction the person who yells 'fire' a crowded theater, neither does academic freedom provide protection for the irresponsible behavior by scientists." He goes on to say "it is difficult to distinguish [the] actions [of scientists who raise questions about AIDS] from those of a mass murderer. When Christine Maggiore (author of "What If Everything You Thought You Knew About AIDS Was Wrong?") requested to be considered as a speaker at an AIDS conference she was not only rejected but her application was forwarded to the FDA's California AIDS Fraud Task Force, and to the District Attorney's AIDS Fraud Unit by the program manager. It becomes dangerous to simply state opinions

rather let the word serve as a sensationalist term for the media.

A man who has worked for years on the inside of AIDS research was very afraid to identify himself in print because he would be out of a job immediately explained "Look at the media; that's where it happens. Look at those earliest pieces about Ho and the cocktails that ran in the Wall Street Journal. They are just pure propaganda, pure drug company puff pieces."

Michael Weathers, one of the best known models for AIDS drugs, has his handsome face adorning billboards across the country. He said that he's never taken any AIDS drugs. He's been healthy for 13 years after testing HIV positive. "They have this rule that they have to use HIV positive models for AIDS drugs campaigns", Weathers explains, "but they certainly do not use models who are using their drugs. That would hardly make for effective advertising."

In 1986 Newsweek warned that "by 1991 HIV, in all probability will have spread to between 5 and 10 million Americans." It never happened. The estimates steadily went down to an ever decreasing low of 665,000 infected cases for the first 17 years since AIDS was discovered. By this point only 410,800 people died of AIDS while heart disease claimed 14 million. This figure also includes accidents, non-contagious illnesses, drug side effect deaths, and other indirect causes of death in people diagnosed with AIDS. AIDS is not even among the top ten causes of death for

Americans.

It is however reported that AIDS is the leading cause of death among Americans ages 25-44. This statement inspires great fear and concern until it is looked at closely. A mere .2% of this age group die from any cause each year and AIDS represents .03% of this mortality rate. This puts AIDS as the largest single killer in this age group (at about 15%) while other causes amount for the other 85%.

A news report recently claimed "a Kenyan dies of AIDS every 3 minutes." If this WHO estimate was true there would have been more AIDS cases in 1 year in Kenya than there have been in the past 20 years.

#### **Corrupt research, funding, media focus, mysterious deaths**

The total tax dollars spent on AIDS exceeded \$50 billion by the year 2000. Annual funding increases every year and is one of the few areas of the budget that has not seen any threat of cuts. A high priority is given to AIDS based on the widespread fear and assumption that AIDS is a widespread and growing health threat to all Americans. Government institutions are responsible for generating official AIDS reports and are the recipients of these billions of dollars in AIDS spending. It is no surprise that the information they spread would support instead of challenge the notion that AIDS is a large and growing problem. These reports are the basis for most AIDS related news - reports that are not

their annual pay is per diems for attending AIDS conferences and playing the game: doing what they are told.

Funding for AIDS research is highly disproportionate to other diseases that are much more deadly. For example in Uganda, the World Health Organization allotted \$6 million dollars for a year of AIDS research while all other diseases (except TB) received a combined \$57,000 despite Malania being the leading killer of people worldwide.

On her way home from Africa, the Spin reporter spoke to a man who had worked with a water restoration program in Kenya for 6 months. He explained how people sick were from dirty drinking water when he arrived, "They had the most atrocious diarrhea and vomiting and abdominal pains." When she asked him how long this had been going on he replied "about ten years" and when she asked if the symptoms went away after the water was cleaned his answer was "Oh, absolutely".

Racist scientists in the US attempt to link the cause of AIDS in Africa to ridiculous theories like children playing with dead monkeys (which would support the green monkey theory), but the disease in Africa began in the cities, not in the jungles. And the most important point of the matter is that the genetic makeup of the AIDS virus does not exist in modern primates. Viruses have not changed forms to be able to "jump" to a different species since ancient times. So not only is it improbable that the virus came from monkeys, it's virtually impossible. Strangely

enough, the initial HIV outbreak in Africa affected only black Africans, not white ones. If the green monkey theory is true, why wouldn't it infect white people?

The danger of misdiagnosed AIDS is not the same as it is in the US. Africans are not put on toxic antiretroviral therapy because they cannot afford the greedy prices the drug companies demand. The problems in Africa are more social. People said to have AIDS are horribly stigmatized, sometimes banished from their villages and left to die, often with no treatment for their individual symptoms even if they do make it to a hospital. An AIDS diagnosis is seen as an unspeakable horror; a death sentence. There is a bit of guilt as well since the publicity campaigns have portrayed AIDS as a sexually transmitted disease (though no evidence supports this). Blame falls on the feet of the afflicted and it is no one's fault but their own in the eyes of society. The socioeconomic environment is ignored; unsettlingly convenient for the establishment.

#### **Hepatitis B Vaccinations in Manhattan, San Francisco, and Los Angeles**

The initial US epicenter for AIDS was New York City, where in 1978 a Hepatitis B vaccine study was conducted on gay men. The government recruited male participants for their study through ads in queer focused publications. The requirements were that participants be between 20 and 40 years old, homosexual or bisexual, healthy and promiscuous (emphasis added). After

screening the blood of almost 10,000 men a final group of 1083 were selected to participate in the study. Characteristics of the gay man who were selected for the final experiment included the following: the average age was 29, most were white and college educated, and the men were healthy - more than half had no history of venereal disease.

In January 1979, two months after the New York City hepatitis vaccine trials began, the first case of AIDS was discovered in a young gay man there. In March 1980, the western vaccine trials on gay men (with the same specifications as in Manhattan) began in Los Angeles and San Francisco. Seven months later, the first cases of AIDS were detected in those cities. The Centers for Disease Control (CDC) published a report in August 1981 containing the following data on the first 26 AIDS cases: All were homosexual/bisexual men, 20 were from New York City, 6 were from Los Angeles and San Francisco, the average age was 39, and most were well educated. A little too coincidental, eh? The U.S. Department of Justice apparently thought so and is keeping this information "classified" and "unavailable" for public consumption, research and investigation. Why would this virus only affect young white male homosexuals selectively in Manhattan, San Francisco, and Los Angeles? One volunteer in the experiment who was injected with the Hep-B vaccine recalled being taken into a room to be injected. The nurse said "Oh, don't worry.

We're not giving you anything that will make you sick." He said that he was told that a couple of times, and that after the injection he worried and was very sorry that he had been a part of the study. He was convinced it was an experimentation of viruses that got out of hand. He is now convinced that is how AIDS got started in the queer community. He had an enormous amount of anger about it and seemed that, at the time he was talking publicly about his story, most of the people that were in the hepatitis B study had already died of AIDS. A lot of his fear and anger came from that. No outcomes of the Hepatitis B study were ever published. After much protesting to this he was promised that he would be sent a newsletter updating him on publications and other plans for the

in a number of people who do not have HIV including 41% of patients with multiple sclerosis and 1 out of 150 healthy people with no afflictions. Conversely, they found that p24 is not found in all HIV patients or even all AIDS patients.

In 1964, AZT experiments on mice with cancer found that the chemical was so effective in destroying healthy growing cells that the mice died of AZT's extreme toxicity rather than the cancer. As a result, AZT was determined to be too dangerous for human consumption and no patent was ever filed. When AIDS drugs looked to create a huge new market share, the pharmaceutical giant Glaxo-Wellcome started a campaign to market AZT as an antiviral drug to combat HIV. The FDA approved AZT for continuous and lifelong use after one highly flawed study that lasted only 4 months, before the long term affects of AZT were realized. Studies conducted after FDA approval concluded that AZT does not improve health or delay onset of AIDS diseases. In fact it is now known that AZT and other "antivirals" like it (ddI, ddC, 3TC, and ddC) instead destroy the kidneys, liver, intestines, and central nervous system, cause muscular diseases, destroy red blood cells, and cause five of the official AIDS defining illnesses (lymphoma, diarrhea, dementia, T cell depletion, and wasting)! When "drug cocktails" were introduced to the market in 1996, it was already 3 years after a massive decrease in AIDS cases had occurred. Despite the decrease in the

virus, an estimated 60,000-100,000 individuals started taking the cocktails.

Medical studies confirmed that from the very start these drugs didn't work in about half of those people. The decrease attributed to these drugs had started before they were introduced and people that are living healthy lives now are doing so because they stopped - or never started - taking anti-HIV drugs.

There are four primary, medically proven causes of immune deficiency that are not infectious or transmitted through blood: malnutrition, chemotherapy (AZT and other toxic AIDS pills), recreational drug use and the overuse of pharmaceutical products. Eliminating these causes and initiating a program that includes fresh foods, plenty of water, proper rest, exercise, and stress

reduction is the first step to overall wellness. Why are alternative and holistic healing methods suppressed in favor of research into a magic pill or vaccine for AIDS?

### Misleading Statistics

You've probably heard common phrases such as "The AIDS epidemic".

According to the American Heritage Dictionary, an epidemic is defined as "an outbreak of contagious disease that spreads rapidly, grows quickly and is widely prevalent." In 20 years, CDC statistics show that AIDS has not spread outside the original risk groups of individuals harmed by long-term recreational and pharmaceutical drug use.

This would not define it as an epidemic and

turning into a nightmare. Many of the people taking the cocktails suffered mysterious strokes and heart attacks. They are listed as AIDS deaths but it's not a result of the AIDS virus that they are dying. Even people who don't die as a result end up with distended bellies and hunchbacks through fat redistribution from the drugs' side effects. Fat disappears from the face, arms, and legs rendering the patients stick like. The new AIDS drugs have damaged and deformed some people so terribly that despite not dying like their peers they wish they were dead. In a study at one hospital, half of the people taking drug cocktails died of liver toxicity from the drugs, and another 9% had liver toxicity listed as a secondary cause.

Koehnlein thinks the answer is in treating the individual symptoms, not the AIDS virus. "I treat them for whatever they are suffering from, and that's that. I have not lost a single patient in seven years and I've never used cocktail therapy."

Michael Bellafontaine is part of an activist group that distributes medical marijuana and attempts to convince patients to stop taking drug cocktails. "People are so afraid of what is going to happen if they don't take these drugs that they remain on the regimens until they literally kill them" he says. To dangle a supposed cure in front of such desperate people is one of the cruelest things imaginable.

One of the drugs, Saquinavir, lists such adverse reactions as "intracranial hemorrhage leading to death" and

"pancreatitis leading to death". On all of the advertising for these drugs the fine prints clearly states that the drugs have killed people. The effects of AZT on expectant mothers include muscle deterioration, severe anemia, nerve damage, liver damage, muscle wasting, lymphoma, acute nausea, diarrhea, and dementia. The effects on infants include misshapen heads, extra fingers, triangular faces, albinism, misplaced ears, cavities in the chest, webbed fingers, anemia, spontaneous abortion, chromosomal damage, and has resulted in therapeutic abortions on severely deformed fetuses.

It is not possible to have a specific antibody test. This is why individuals in AIDS risk groups tend to frequently test positive - they have been exposed to many factors or conditions that caused their immune systems to produce a multitude of cross-reacting antibodies. Despite all of this non-specificity we are told that the tests are 99% accurate. The CDC tells us that 1 out of 250 Americans are HIV positive so if we test 100,000 people at random, 400 people should test HIV positive and 99,600 should test HIV negative. Applying the 1% error rate means that 996 people will be incorrectly identified as positive - that's over twice as many false positives as "true" positives! Couple that with the deadliness of the "side effects" of these drugs and that's a pretty critical margin for error!

HIV is recognized by the proteins p24, p17, gp41, gp120, etc. Researchers reported that p24 antibodies have been found

information but it never happened. Imagine what it would be like to see your friends dying around you from participating in a mysterious study with no published results!

From a logical standpoint the experiment could never have been so successful if the men were infected with HIV beforehand. The supposed effectiveness rating for the tests is 96%. The way this result was obtained is now obvious. Recent studies have shown that hepatitis B vaccination is not very successful in immunodepressed people. In HIV-positive

individuals, the success rate of the Hepatitis B vaccine is about 50%, only protecting one out of two people infected with the AIDS virus. The gay men in Szmunes' study were healthy before the experiment - and damaged afterward. The experiment would have been a failure (never 96% effective) if the immune systems of the men had been infected with HIV and not working at full capacity. It would follow logically that the victims were infected with HIV at the time of the experiment, not before; thus showing a positive result on paper though the men were getting sick and dying shortly afterwards.

By 1981, 40% of the Hep-B vaccination patients had AIDS and by 1984 it was 64%. After that health officials would no longer give out statistics. A prominent California doctor pointed out the mortality rate for those who took part in the Hep-B program, as reported by the WHO matched World War 2 and then he was promptly and mysteriously

murdered. (2)

## HIV treatments: Deadlier than AIDS

While so much hinges on the results of an HIV test, it pretty shocking just how unreliable the testing is. HIV tests are not standardized, meaning that different labs have different criteria for determining whether someone is HIV positive or negative. Tests are also not-reproducible causing tests to alternate between positive and negative in many cases. Worse yet, they are non-specific which means tests respond to a great number of other variables and antibodies that aren't HIV including microbes, bacteria, and other conditions often found in healthy people, making the tests

highly unreliable. There is no "gold standard" for HIV testing, meaning there is no purified isolation of HIV to test against. Tests will register positive because of these variables and people will often be convinced (or in some cases, forced) to take HIV medication before they get a second opinion. The media instills this fear as well with their constant bombardment about the deadliness of the AIDS virus.

One example of this is the case of Joey Daniels, a 3 year old boy from Winston Salem, NC. In May, 1999 he was struck by a car, suffered a fractured skull, and was rushed to a nearby hospital. A week later, while Joey was recovering, some of his blood splashed on hospital workers when an IV was being changed. As a result Joey was given an HIV test. He tested positive and a doctor told

Joey's already traumatized mother, LaTonia, that Joey had HIV. Both of Joey's parents were negative and LaTonia asked how this was possible. The doctor told LaTonia she needed to investigate her family and friends because the child had been sexually abused. LaTonia ordered more testing and spent 2 days waiting; attempting not to go insane. She thought about finding out who infected her son and what she would do to them. But then the second round of tests came up HIV negative. LaTonia was relieved, but understandably livid as the doctor had basically told her to accuse her family and friends of sexually abusing her son! She requested that the doctor apologize, he refused, and a watchdog group was brought in. Some of the hospital staff encouraged LaTonia to contact an attorney and the hospital held a press conference. While attempting to clear the hospital of wrong doing a spokesperson announced "HIV tests are not reliable; a lot of factors can skew the tests, like fever or pregnancy. Everyone knows that."

Another example is Christine Maggione, who was prompted to write her book "What If Everything You Thought You Knew about AIDS Was Wrong?" when she was told that she tested HIV positive followed by inconclusive and contradicting test results. Doctors told her to resign to her fate and "not waste money on vitamins" until eventually she found a doctor not attempting to push lethal drugs on her and came to the conclusion that she was not going to die of AIDS.

In 1996, David Ho claimed he'd

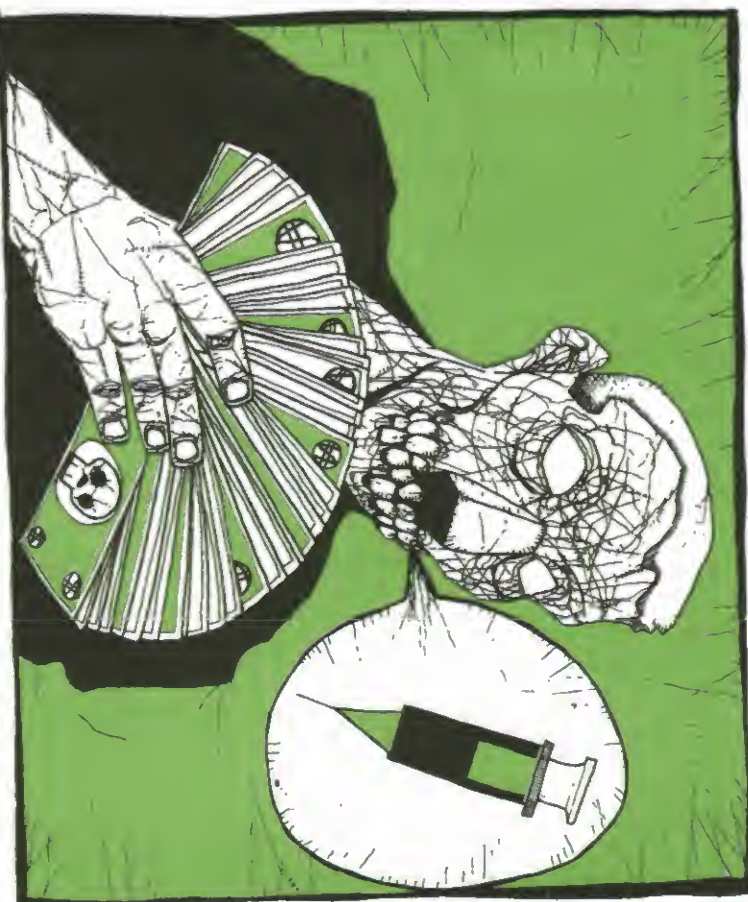
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found a way to defeat AIDS. He created a system of "drug cocktails" (combinations of drugs previously used individually on AIDS patients) as a revelation in AIDS treatment. It came with built-in privacy intrusion in the form of computer chips in the caps of pill bottles that record the time and date of each opening. His theories were widely accepted in the same ways that Robert Gallo's were - he plastered himself all over the media!

Mark Craddock, a mathematician like Ho, is confused how Ho's theories ever gained any notoriety. "Ho's equations predict that over the course of 10 years an HIV positive person will produce more particles of HIV than there are atoms in the universe." Confused? That's because it's not true. The real question is how did he get these theories onto the front page of the New York Times and Time Magazine?

"In my opinion, I have seen that those who do not take any of these AIDS drugs are the ones who remain healthy and survive," says German physician Claus Koehnlein, who testified at a trial of a Montreal woman who refused to give her HIV-positive children cocktail therapy, and in the spirit of George Orwell, had her children taken away from her where they are forced to take the drugs.

Groups of AIDS professionals infiltrate the social groups of people taking the drugs to enlist help pushing and dispensing the drugs to their friends. This is called "treatment compliance" and is now viewed as



the social imperative of the AIDS industry, where safe sex was previously. The goal is to get as many healthy and sick HIV positive people on the drugs as possible and to keep them taking the drugs, despite debilitating

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ill effects. This is dismissed as a small price to pay for the supposed effect of lowering the amount of virus in the blood. The only problem is that years after this "medical revelation" erupted this promise of reduced virus is